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Cal OES Internal Statewide Incident Briefing
2000 hours, July 30, 2020



CAL FIRE Tanker 118 at McClellan Air Park, North Highlands, Sacramento County.

Photo Credit: Bill Gabbert, Wildfire Today

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National Terrorism Advisory System



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- Report attached

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

| State Operations Center | Inland Regional EOC | Coastal Regional EOC | Southern Regional EOC |
|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Level 1 | Normal Operations | Normal Operations | Normal Operations |

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated 03/02/20 at 0700 hours in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

Situation Overview

- **California State of Emergency Proclamation**

On 03/04/20, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency for California, as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak that began in December 2019, to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare for broader spread of COVID-19.

- **Executive Order N-33-20**

On 03/19/20, the California State Public Health Officer and Director of the California Department of Public Health ordered all individuals living in the State of California to stay home or at their place of residence, except as needed to maintain Continuity of Operations of the Federal critical infrastructure sectors.

- **Global Health Advisory**

On 03/19/20, the U.S. Department of State issued a Global Health Advisory at Level 4 (Do Not Travel) due to the global impact of COVID-19.

- **FEMA-4482-DR-CA**

On 03/22/20, President Trump approved Major Declarations FEMA-4482-DR-CA (DR-4482) for the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases – Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 07/30/20 at 1000 hours:

- 17,327,023 (+297,454) total confirmed cases in 213 countries
- 672,838 (+6,782) total deaths

Confirmed United States COVID-19 Case – Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 07/30/20 at 1100 hours:

- 4,405,932 (+65,935) total confirmed cases
- 150,283 (+1,417) total deaths

Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center as of 07/30/20 at 1100 hours:

- 485,502 (+10,197) total confirmed cases

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See COVID-19 slides
- See Fire Activity slides

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- See COVID-19 slides

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- See COVID-19 slides

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

| National | Northern California | Southern California |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|
| Preparedness Level 3 | Preparedness Level 3 | Preparedness Level 3 |
| | Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2 | Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2 |

Note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Cal OES Fire Missions

2020-FIRE-35725

- 1 Type I CNG helicopter with MEDEVAC capabilities pre-positioned for the State

2020-FIRE-36526

- FEMA US&R "White" IST, consisting of 13 overhead positions from California, deployed to Kona and is staging in Koloa for Tropical Cyclone Douglas and the potential impacts to the Hawaiian Islands. (Demobilizing)
- CA-TF 2 (Los Angeles County Fire Department) Type 3 US&R Task Force, consisting of 42 personnel, arrived in Kona and is staging in Koloa for potential impacts from Tropical Cyclone Douglas. (Demobilizing)
- CA-TF 7 (Sacramento Fire Department) Type 4 US&R Task Force, consisting of 25 personnel, have been activated and is staging in Honolulu, Oahu, for potential impacts from Tropical Cyclone Douglas. (Demobilizing)

2019-FIRE-402

- Personnel assigned to fuel reduction efforts in CAL FIRE Units: Shasta/Trinity, Nevada/Yuba/Placer, San Benito/Monterey and Fresno/Kings.
 - Five 20-person Hand Crews each and all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials.
 - 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill.
 - Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 Crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU)

CA-ONC-000017

- Two (2x) California based C-130 MAFFS air tankers have been federalized through a request from National Interagency Fire Center to the US Department of Defense. MAFFS 4 and MAFFS 6, with support personnel from the 146th Airlift Wing / Channel Islands Air National Guard Station (California Air National Guard), are to position at McClellan Airfield, CA, in support of wildland fire operations throughout the Western United States.



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FIRE ACTIVITY

COVID-19 Missions

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Prepositioned Resources

- No significant activity to report

Cal OES INLAND REGION

July Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou and Modoc Counties

Location: Hwy.139 x County Rd. 91, Canby

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Lava Beds N.P, Modoc N.F

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/30/20 at 1745 hours:

- 81,520 acres, grass, brush and timber, 61% contained
- Minimal overnight fire behavior
- Threat remains to structures
- Threat remains to Transmission Lines and High Pressure Gas lines
- Threat remains to BNSF railroads
- Threat remains to high value commercial timberlands
- Threat remains to significant historical and cultural sites
- Threat remains to mining operations
- Area, trail and road closures remain in place
- Red Flag Warning for low RH and gusty winds
- Incidents within the complex: (any decrease in acreage is due to more accurate mapping)
 - Caldwell Fire: 79,316 acres, 50% contained
 - Allen Fire: 1,035 acres, 100% contained
 - Dalton Fire: 1,367 acres, 100% contained
 - Gillem Fire: merged with the Caldwell Fire
- California Type 2, Team 12 in command
- California Type 1, Team 1 shadowing

Activations

- Modoc County EOC is activated at a Level 3 (lowest)

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES INLAND REGION (Continued)

Evacuations

Mandatory evacuation remain in place for the Medicine Lake Recreation Area

- The Lava Beds National Monument remains closed

Hog, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County

Location: Hog Flat Reservoir, 10 miles west of Susanville

Jurisdiction: State DPA, FRA, Lassen-Modoc Unit

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/30/20 at 1715 hours:

- 9,564 acres, timber, 90% contained
- Nonresidential Commercial Property Destroyed: 1
- Minimal fire behavior reported
- Evacuation Warnings remain in place
- CAL FIRE IMT #3 in command

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications IBT

FMAG

- An FMAG request was received on 07/19/20 at 2210 hours. After review of the application, the FMAG was placed on hold.

Proclamation

- Lassen County submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The county is requesting CDAA for assistance and relief programs, a Gubernatorial Proclamation and a Presidential Declaration.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES INLAND REGION (Continued)

Hog, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County (Continued)

Evacuations

- All trails along SR 36 will remain closed

Missions

- **2020-Inland-36121:** Air Resource Board to provide Air Monitoring Rays

Gold, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County

Location: Hwy. 139 x County Rd. A-2, 5 miles south of Adin

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA/FRA, Lassen-Modoc Unit

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/30/20 at 1715 hours:

- 21,870 acres, grass and timber, 75% contained
- Single Residences Destroyed: 9
- Continued threat to structures
- Evacuation Orders and Warnings remain in place
- Crews continue to improve, reinforce, and secure control lines
- CAL FIRE IMT #4 in unified command with USFS

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief
- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Mechanics
- 5 Cal OES Public Safety Communications IBT

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Gold, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County (Continued)

Evacuations

- Zone B - Areas south of Ash Valley Rd. west of Spooner Rd., east of Hwy. 139, and north of Termo Grasshopper Rd.
- Zone G - Area north of Ash Valley Road to Rail Canyon north to the Modoc County line and west to Hwy 139.
- Zone H-1 - Area north of Ash Valley Road at Knox Mountain north to the Modoc County Line and west to Rail Canyon.

Shelters / Evacuation Shelters

- Modoc County, in collaboration with the American Red Cross, is housing evacuees at the Rim Rock Motel.
 - Overnight Shelter Count: 3 rooms with 3 occupants

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

| Major Road Closures | | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Northern California | Central California | Southern California |
| No Lifeline Route Closures | No Lifeline Route Closures | No Lifeline Route Closures |

Lifeline Routes:

- No lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- See Fire Activity slides.

Emergency Center Activations:

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current Hwy. conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current Hwy. conditions.



CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

California 911 Outages

| Northern California | Central California | Southern California |
|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| No 911 Outages | No 911 Outages | No 911 Outages |

911 Outage/Remote/Community Isolations

Community Isolation, Mariposa, Catheys Valley, Mariposa County (FINAL)

On 07/28/20 at 1815 hours, TDS Telecom reported a central office isolation in Catheys Valley, Mariposa County, affecting zip codes 95306, 95325, and 95338. Contractors are not available until Thursday (07/30/20) to excavate line – unable to route around the damaged section.

- Time Outage Started: 07/28/20, 1310 hours
- Time Outage Reported: 07/28/20, 1738 hours
- Time of Resolution/Restoration: 07/30/20, 1804 hours
- Total Outage Time: 2 days and 4.54 hours
- Reason for Outage: Suspected fiber damaged by animals
- Wireless 9-1-1 Calls Impacted: No
- Wireline 9-1-1 Calls Impacted: Yes. 105 Users
- VoIP 9-1-1 Calls Impacted: No

Service interruption

- None reported.

WEATHER OF CONCERN

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- Red Flag Warnings continue for Siskiyou and Modoc Counties through Friday evening.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- An Excessive Heat Warning is in effect for multiple counties in Southern California through Saturday.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

WEATHER KEY POINTS

07/30/20 - 08/05/20

Thursday-Saturday

- Quiet weather expected over much of the state
- High to very high heat impacts over southern California each afternoon as temperatures climb to 100+ with poor overnight recovery
 - Excessive Heat Warnings and Heat Advisories in effect
- Elevated to Critical fire weather conditions due to dryness and local terrain impacts on wind speeds, especially across northern CA

Sunday-Wednesday

- Temperatures returning to more typical levels into early next week with decreasing heat impacts



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

07/29/20 - 08/04/20

| <u>Hazards / Day</u> | THU | FRI | SAT | SUN | MON | TUE | WED |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds | Inland/ Southern | Inland/ Southern | Inland/ Southern | | | | |
| Snow | | | | | | | |
| Coastal Flooding | | | | | | | |
| River Flooding | | | | | | | |
| Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes) | | | | | | | |
| Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms) | Inland/ Southern | Inland/ Southern | Inland/ Southern | Inland/ Southern | Inland/ Southern | Inland/ Southern | Inland/ Southern |
| Heat Risk | Southern | Southern | Southern | Southern | Southern | Southern | Southern |
| Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow | | | | | | | |
| Cold | | | | | | | |



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



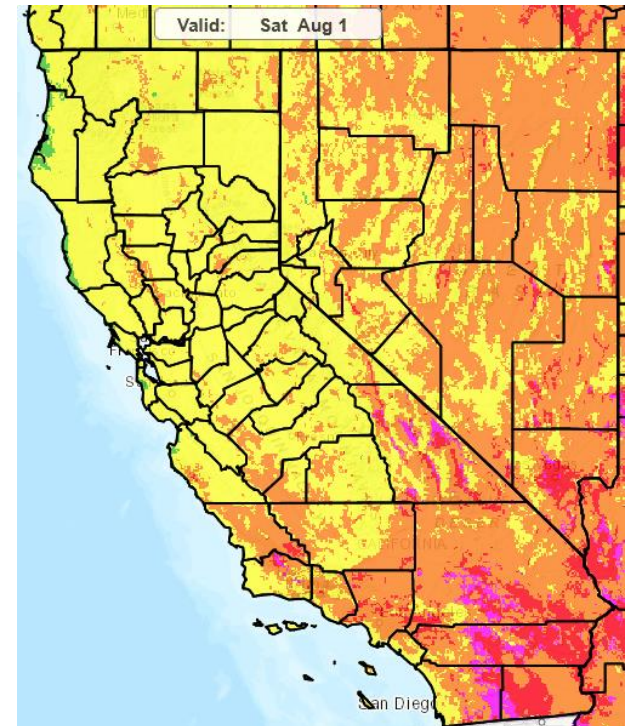
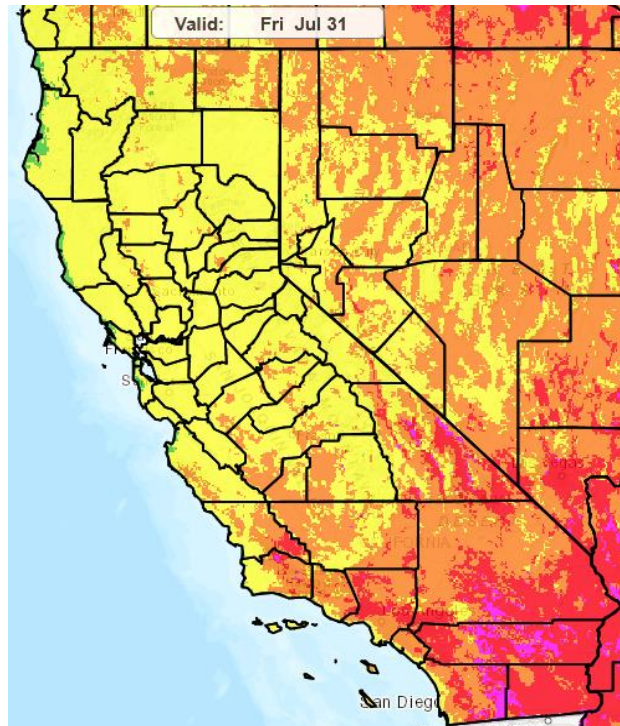
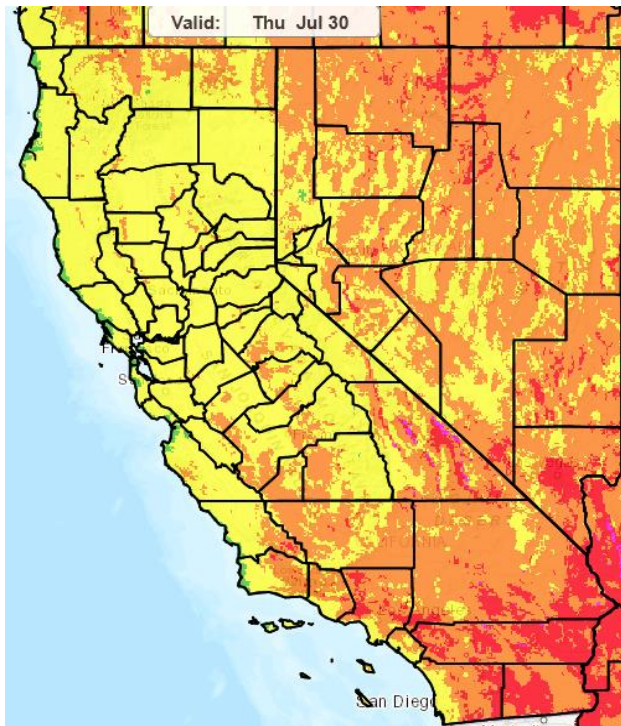
Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

HEAT RISK FORECAST

07/30/20 - 08/01/20



| Category | Level | Meaning |
|----------|-------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Green | 0 | No Elevated Risk |
| Yellow | 1 | Low Risk for those extremely sensitive to heat, especially those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration |
| Orange | 2 | Moderate Risk for those who are sensitive to heat, especially those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration |

| Category | Level | Meaning |
|----------|-------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Red | 3 | High Risk for much of the population, especially those who are heat sensitive and those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration |
| Magenta | 4 | Very High Risk for entire population due to long duration heat, with little to no relief overnight |



WEATHER OUTLOOK

08/04/20 - 08/12/20

6-10 Day Outlook (August 4 – August 8)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures favored across northern CA, below normal temperatures favored across southern CA, and near normal temperatures expected for central CA.

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation expected statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (August 6 – August 12)

Temperatures

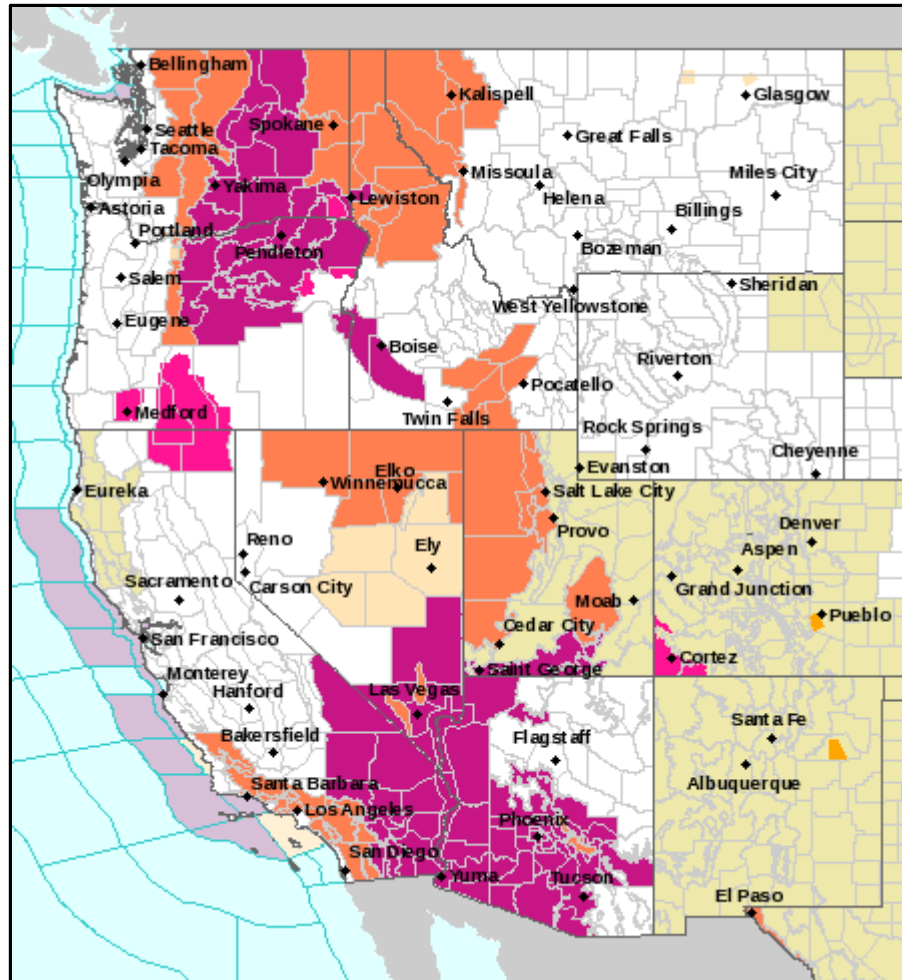
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WEATHER MAP



- [Severe Thunderstorm Warning](#)
- [Excessive Heat Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Heat Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Fire Weather Watch](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Marine Weather Statement](#)
- [Air Quality Alert](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)
- [Short Term Forecast](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- None reported

Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.



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